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PROPOSED FIRST AMENDMENT

BILL NO. 2007-8

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE TO REVISE CERTAIN INFORMATION-GATHERING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FIRE AND RESCUE REGARDING THE TRANSPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS WITHIN THE CITY, AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER RELATED MATTERS.

Proposed by: David L. Washington, Chief, Department of Fire and Rescue
Summary: Revises certain information-gathering and reporting requirements for the Department of Fire and Rescue regarding the transportation of hazardous materials within the City.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS DOES HEREBY ORDAIN
AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Title 9, Chapter 36, Section 50, of the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

9.36.050: The Department of Fire [Services] and Rescue is authorized and directed to do the following:

(A) To collect all available information with respect to the volumes, routes, locations of storage incident to transportation, risks and conditions of transport and storage of hazardous materials presenting the highest risk, by any mode of transportation, and to report [annually] biannually to the [City Council] Management Committee for Emergency Operations on the transportation of hazardous materials and the adequacy of the City's emergency response capabilities in cases of accidents; and

(B) To collect information, as available, from the State on the routes and volumes of hazardous waste shipments through the City and to request that the State conduct surveys to determine the volumes, routes, compliance with Federal and State regulations, accident rates and other information on truck cargos of hazardous materials.

SECTION 2: If any section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase in this ordinance or any part thereof is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid or ineffective by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of the remaining portions of this ordinance or any part thereof. The City Council of the

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1 City of Las Vegas hereby declares that it would have passed each section, subsection, subdivision,
2 paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections,
3 subsections, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional,
4 invalid or ineffective.

5 SECTION 3: All ordinances or parts of ordinances or sections, subsections, phrases,
6 sentences, clauses or paragraphs contained in the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada,
7 1983 Edition, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

8 PASSED, ADOPTED and APPROVED this ____ day of _____, 2007.

9 APPROVED:

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11 By _____
12 OSCAR B. GOODMAN, Mayor

13 ATTEST:

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15 BEVERLY BRIDGES, Acting City Clerk

16 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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1 The above and foregoing ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the City Council on the
2 ____ day of _____, 2007, and referred to the following committee composed of
3 _____ and _____ for recommendation;
4 thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said ordinance on the ____ day of
5 _____, 2007, which was a _____ meeting of said Council; that at said
6 _____ meeting, the proposed ordinance was read by title to the City Council
7 as amended and adopted by the following vote:

8 VOTING "AYE": _____

9 VOTING "NAY": _____

10 ABSENT: _____

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12 APPROVED:

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14 By _____
OSCAR B. GOODMAN, Mayor

15 ATTEST:

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17 BEVERLY BRIDGES, Acting City Clerk

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